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MEMORANDUM TO: All Assistant Directors
and Staff Chiefs.

FROM: Legislative Counsel

The legislative program for CIA to be submitted to the 82nd Congress is presently being developed. It is requested that you submit to this office by 1 January 1951 any material which you wish to have included in such a program, including recommendations for specific legislation.

At present the following items are being considered for inclusion in the CIA legislative program:

1. Amendments to current statutes to authorize payment to CIA personnel of certain benefits for hazardous duty;
2. General re-delegation authorities;
3. Employment of retired officers;
4. Loss of 1950 leave on 30 June 1951 due to special government-wide appropriations language;
5. Extension to CIA of additional authorities in the Armed Services Procurement Act (particularly authorities in the field of research and development);
6. Special authority for the importation of foreign materials (Sovmat project).

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